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Parking lots deemed full of danger

By 1st Lt. DeJon Redd
355th Wing Public Affairs

There is much said about the dangers of ignoring driving safety on high-speed interstates or stop-and-go, rush-hour traffic; however, neither qualifies as the most dangerous place to drive.

According to the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety, parking lots prove to be the likeliest automotive crash location, accounting for the largest number of vehicle accidents nation-wide.

The majority of all collisions are low impact in a parking lot.

According to Michael Barnes, 355th Wing ground safety manager, the reasons for so many safety incidents in parking lots are simple. While drivers remain alert and aware during the majority of a commute, this awareness often does not extend to the parking lot. Low speeds and confined spaces lull drivers in to a false sense of safety evident

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The President

Tech. Sgt. B. Coors-Davidson

President George Bush waves hello during his visit to Davis-Monthan Air Force Base Monday. Bush arrived at D-M early in the morning, then flew to Mount Lemmon to speak about forest fire prevention and his new initiative that supports thinning forests

before the dense undergrowth becomes a fire hazard. Once Bush arrived back at D-M, he greeted the base, waved and shook hands with many before departing. See **D-M welcomes President Bush**, Page 14, for more information.

Public Key Infrastructure keeps AF on top of technology

By Staff Sgt. Troy Hawkes
355th Wing Public Affairs

In today's sophisticated age of technology, the Public Key Infrastructure program is helping the Air Force stay competitive in the 21st century.

"Public Key Infrastructure uses hardware and software to increase security of data flowing across the Internet," said 1st Lt. Thomas Geffert, 355th Communications Squadron plans and programs officer in charge.

The new common access cards

house PKI's capabilities, and allow the program to function successfully.

The public and private keys, as one of the primary functions of PKI, help ensure the integrity of sending important information via e-mail, by verifying the sender of the e-mail and by preventing anyone but the addressee from reading it.

"Each CAC holds a private and public key. Your public key is used by others to encrypt an e-mail addressed to you. Only your private key can decrypt messages en-

crypting by your public key, therefore you will be the only person able to read the message. This makes the e-mail useless to anyone who intercepts it. Your private key is also used to identify you to Web servers, thereby eliminating the need for you to type in passwords at any PKI enabled Web site. Finally, your private key digitally signs your e-mails," said Geffert.

Other aspects of PKI are the three certificates that work in conjunction with the keys and allow them to perform their functions.

"The identity certificate identi-

fies you to sites, servers and applications without the need for passwords. The e-mail signature certificate enables you to digitally sign e-mail and verify the signatures sent to you. The e-mail encryption certificate encrypts and decrypts e-mail," Geffert said.

The CAC with PKI benefits will be issued to active duty military, select national guard and reserve components, DoD civilians, eligible DoD contractors and eligible foreign nationals.

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COMACC encourages fitness

By Gen. Hal Hornburg
Air Combat Command commander

Physical fitness is an integral part of our profession of arms. The rigorous demand of defending the United States requires a fit force. Fitness directly affects the health and well-being of our most valuable resource ... our people.

Air Force senior leadership recently recognized our current minimum passing scores are set too low, well below national fitness averages for individuals of comparable age and gender.

As would be expected from a force whose core values include excellence, we have exceeded those artificially low standards but we are still only as fit as the general population of America.

This is not good enough, however, to support our extremely important mission and Air Force-leadership directed changes to the annual fitness assessment. The new fitness assessment will raise the aerobic standards and add muscular strength and endurance to the overall fitness score, ensuring we are a more physically fit, leaner and healthier force.

The Air Force is expected to implement guidelines for a new fitness assessment by January 2004. However, I want Air Combat

Command airmen to start preparing now. I expect each airman to train for the annual fitness test by selecting activities necessary to raise their fitness levels. ACC commanders must encourage their troops to participate in these activities and provide them time during normal duty hours to do so.

As a guideline, commanders should release their troops to participate in fitness enhancing activities for up to 75-minutes three times a week. This is not intended to replace a lunch or dinner break, but rather needs to be spent focusing strictly on exercise.

Finally, I want commanders to implement periodic squadron fitness events specifically designed to improve overall aerobic and strength fitness. The professional staffs at our base fitness and health and wellness centers stand ready to assist commanders in creating these programs.

Physical fitness is more than simply maintaining a professional appearance. It is a way of life and a critical component of mission readiness. Commanders need to ensure our people have the time and access to resources necessary for staying fit and ready to meet our mission.

My goal is for ACC airmen to lead the way to a more physically fit United States Air Force.



Col. Larry Stutzriem
355th Wing Commander

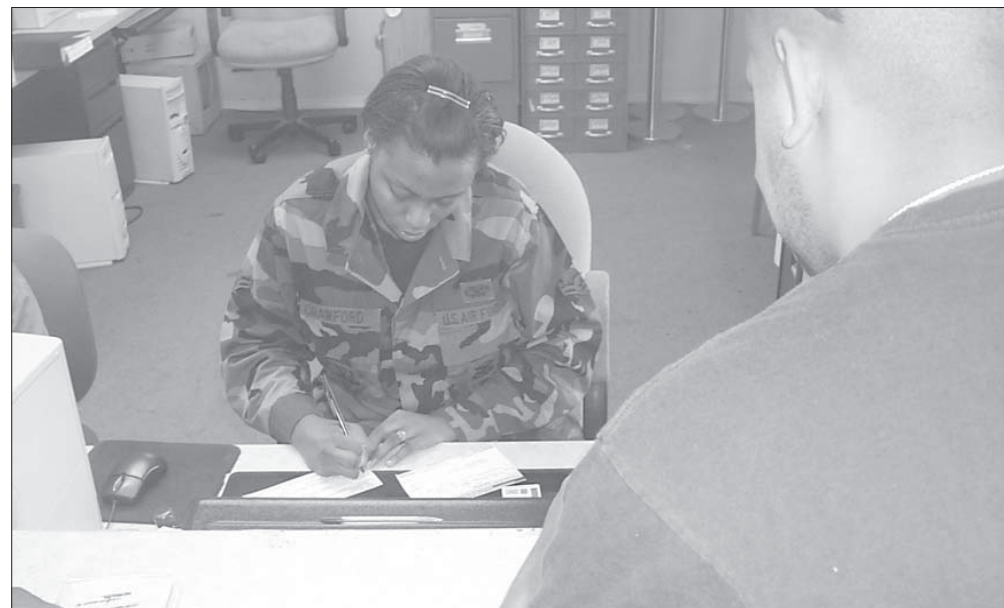
Supporting each other and working together to provide the best programs and services is a goal for all D-M people. Ideas, suggestions, comments, concerns and kudos are important to make improvements. The best way to pass along a comment or to get an answer to a concern is to **contact the agency chief or functional managers listed here**. Still no solution? The Commander's Corner phone line is **228-4747**. An e-mail can also be sent to: 355thWing.

CommandersCorner@dm.af.mil.

Callers must leave their name, phone number and a message. They will receive a prompt reply in writing or by telephone. We will honor caller confidentiality, but sometimes we need to contact callers to gather additional information. If a concern is of general interest to the base populace, the response may be published in the *Desert Airman*. Anonymous calls may not be published.

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1st Lt. Dejon Redd

Mission Spotlight

The 270 men and women of the 355th Security Forces Squadron have one of the most diverse force protection missions in the Air Force. The D-M 'Desert Defenders' protect more aircraft than any other DoD agency; providing physical security and law enforcement to the 355th Wing, 12th Air Force headquarters, Aerospace Maintenance and Regeneration Center's 5,200 aircraft, more than 11,000 base residents and 1,379 facilities spread over 12,000 acres valued at more than \$8.8 billion. Additionally, they provide combat arms training for 6,100 military personnel. The unit proudly boasts being one of the finest front-line large security forces squadrons in the Air Force.

(Left) Airman 1st Class Lakeydra Crawford, 355th Security Forces, ensures base security by checking identification and vehicle insurance and registration before letting an escorted visitor enter Davis-Monthan Air Force Base.

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Safety

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when drivers ignore "Stop" and "Yield" signs or cut diagonally across parking lanes. Drivers also focus on finding the closest possible parking spot while neglecting smart driving discipline only to save walking distance.

"We have observed drivers being distracted because they are talking on their cell phone or otherwise preoccupied by turning on their radio, looking for something in the car, or talking to passengers. They are not paying attention to the important job of driving," said Barnes.

"Our biggest problems occur at lunchtime, and the majority of accidents are attributed to improper backing or inattentive driving," said Barnes.

And yet a fender-bender is not the worst consequence of this reckless behavior. Pedestrians, including small children, are at risk, since most parking lots do not have designated walkways.

"We have gone from fender benders to major accidents with personnel being transported to local hospitals," said Barnes.

According to Master Sgt. John McCormick, 355th Security Forces Squadron, operations superintendent, "at Davis-Monthan, the majority of minor accidents occur between 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m., the peak lunchtime window, and involve airmen ages 18 to 25."

"Investigation by responding patrols and interviews conducted by SFS shows a repeated trend. Many times the driver at fault failed to

properly check his or her surroundings prior to backing, and usually was in a hurry," said McCormick.

McCormick also suggests a few rules that can avert any parking lot mishap.

◆ Check the area around your vehicle prior to getting in.

◆ Ensure you have put on your seatbelt and adjusted your radio, mirrors and seat prior to shifting gears.

◆ Back up slowly, checking and rechecking mirrors and blind spots.

◆ Use your horn to signal you intend to proceed if your view is obstructed."

"Parking lot collisions prove to be some of the most avoidable accidents we investigate," said Barnes.

"Drivers should maintain safe driving habits through the entire duration of their travel," said McCormick.

PKI

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According to Geffert, the PKI program was instituted to add a security aspect to electronic message trafficking and provide reliable identification of message originators.

"The Internet itself is meant to be wide-open and by design is not securable. PKI focuses on securing the message instead of the medium. PKI facilitates any transaction requiring a legal binding signature, making it ideal for electronic business. PKI not only verifies the sender and ensures the message is not altered,

it also makes the sender unable to deny the fact that they were the originator."

The planned implementation date for PKI is Oct. 31. After this date, users will be required to possess a CAC, have a CAC reader installed on their computer and insert the card into the reader anytime they send an e-mail, Geffert stated.

As time rolls on, and the information age yields more efficient and technical progeny, changes such as PKI continue being made to keep the Air Force one step ahead of the enemy.

News Notes

Foreign area officer briefing

Interested in Learning a Foreign Language?

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Open to all officers (O-1 thru O-10).

For more information, call 1st Lt. Sara Hatcher, DSN 228-2607.

Road closure

The intersection at Craycroft and Arizola Roads will be closed for paving from Saturday through Tuesday. Northbound Craycroft will remain open to the 12th Air Force and housing. Westbound traffic from housing will need to use Albrow to Ironwood.

Eastbound traffic from Swan Road will need to use Commanche St. For more information, call 355th Civil Engineer Squadron at 228-3393.

AF Honor Guard seeks members

The U. S. Air Force Honor Guard is conducting a recruiting briefing at 1 p.m. in the enlisted club, Aug. 25. The elite unit is looking for senior airmen through senior master sergeants. All applicants must meet minimum time on station requirements and are encouraged to bring their spouses to the briefing. For more information about the briefing or the U.S. Honor Guard in general, contact Staff Sgt. Michael Vause at 228-4189 or Staff Sgt. Jerald Hutnik at the U.S. Honor Guard at (202) 404-6265.

Base stock assets frozen

The 355th Equipment Maintenance Squadron Munitions Flight conducts their annual 100 percent warehouse inventory Sept. 1 through 19. During that time, all base stock assets are frozen and support is very limited. Any munitions issue requests after today require an emergency issue letter. For more information, call Staff Sgt. Heather Adkins, 355th EMS, at 228-8283.

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airmen were saved from the consequences of driving under the influence by the Airmen Against Drunk Driving Program since Dec. 31.

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Air Force promotes 49.7 percent to E-5

The Air Force has selected 13,651 of 27,416 eligible senior airmen for promotion to staff sergeant, a 49.79-percent selection rate.

“As far as promotions are concerned, this has proven to be another great year for our senior airmen,” said Chief Master Sgt. Mark Billingsley, enlisted-promotion and military-testing chief here. “The message is loud and clear: There really is no limit. If you work hard

and prepare for promotion, the Air Force will entrust you with that next stripe and give you all the responsibility and opportunity for growth that come with it.”

People who tested are expected to receive their score notices by the end of August, officials said. Individuals can also get an electronic copy of their score notice, available after 7 p.m. CDT on Aug. 15 by clicking on ‘vMPF’ at <http://www.afpc.randolph.af.mil/>.

www.afpc.randolph.af.mil/.

The average score for those selected was 265 points, with the following averages: 130.81 points for enlisted performance reports; 53.29 for Promotion Fitness Exam; 53.54 for Specialty Knowledge Test; 15.52 for time in grade; 10.60 for time in service; and 0.62 for decorations.

The average selectee has 1.62 years time in grade and 4.25 years in service. Those selected will be promoted to staff sergeant from September to August 2004. (Courtesy of Air Force Personnel Center News Service)

Robots show force protection prowess

A demonstration of the latest in robotics and sensor technology gave security forces directors from Air Force commands worldwide some new ideas in how to protect bases and people without endangering personnel.

Twelve robots were put through some amazing paces during the Aug. 6 demonstration at Southwest Research Institute in San Antonio.

Demonstrations included one robot that crawled up walls and across ceilings, another that clambered over rocks with six rotating legs and a third that wriggled like a snake through a pipe.

Col. Tommy Dillard, Lackland Force Protection Battlelab commander, explained what robotics can do for force protection in the future.

"From an Air Force perspective, we're looking at robots in the future to do a lot of the force-protection deeds that we have right now," he said. "Why put a person in harm's way if you can take a machine and new technology to go ahead and do a first look?"

Among the robots shown in action was the "Wall Crawler," which can motor up walls and across ceilings on six wheels. It

adheres to various surfaces, including brick walls, by means of a louvered fan that creates a low-pressure region between two adjacent surfaces, said Bryce Wiedeman, vice president of operations for Avionic Instruments Inc.

The 8.5-by-6.5-inch robot can be equipped with a video camera on a boom, he said, "that allows us to take a little peek around a corner or over a ledge into a window."

Wiedeman said it works even more efficiently underwater, moving around by remote control on the hull of a ship to send back video for safety examinations.

"Robotics, we think, can enhance our ability to protect our installations, people and resources," Dillard said. "One of the things we want, and have asked the industry to do, is to be able not only to detect (with robots) but to start a neutralization phase before we can get response forces out there."

"And we think robotics is going to revolutionize how we do that part of the business — not to replace cops or anything like that, but simply to make us better," he said. (Courtesy of Air Education and Training Command News Service)

Hold it steady



Staff Sgt. Troy Hawkes

Billy Rodby, Standard Drywall, frames out the ceiling of the new Child Development Center, which will feature eight infant rooms, six pre-toddler rooms, eight toddler rooms and three preschool rooms. Each room contains a door leading out to individual playgrounds.



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Ways to practice OPSEC each day

By Master Sgt. Carlos Guevara
355th Wing OPSEC program manager

Intelligence collection and analysis is very much like assembling a "picture puzzle." Each piece of the puzzle could be an item of information that is not classified or sensitive by itself but, when assembled with other "pieces of the puzzle," could damage national security by revealing classified or sensitive information regarding programs, activities, capabilities, intentions, vulnerabilities or technology.

Concerns over the release of sensitive information prompted former President Reagan to sign National Security Decision Directive 298. This decision mandated all government agencies, departments and their supporting contractors involved in National Security mission to establish an Operation Security program.

Directive 298 identified the

OPSEC methodology as a five-step process: identify critical information, analyze the threat, identify vulnerabilities, assess the risk and implement appropriate countermeasures.

Operational security is still a very confusing program to many people in government and the civilian world. The first approach is to ensure everyone understands that OPSEC is not a counterintelligence program, it is a countermeasures program. The difference is that counterintelligence is concerned with the intentional disclosure of classified information, whereas OPSEC is concerned with the inadvertent disclosure of classified as well as sensitive unclassified information. Simply put, the role of OPSEC is to protect our critical and sensitive information from inadvertent compromise.

There is nothing new about the principles of OPSEC. Most people apply the OPSEC process subcon-

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— Master Sgt. Carlos Guevara
355th Wing OPSEC program manager

sciously in their personal everyday life. For example: when leaving for vacation, people understand the importance of having someone pick up the mail, make sure the lawn is cut during their absence, stopping newspaper delivery, installing lights on timers and other such activities to prevent being burglarized. But what have they just done? They are aware of the threat (a burglar), they don't want the burglar to know they are not home (the criti-

cal information), because there are vulnerabilities (or indicators) that can be compromised, and that the risk of the burglar exceeds the costs of the countermeasures.

This analogy closely parallels OPSEC.

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To assume

Jumping to conclusions can be dangerous personally, professionally

By Timothy Lea

Formerly of 355th Services Squadron

We have all probably experienced this in one form or fashion. The supervisor asks the subordinate, "Why did you do (or say) that?" The subordinate says, "Well, I assumed . . ."

At this point, the subordinate stops mid-sentence due to a

distinctive metamorphosis starting to occur with the supervisor. A gleam arises in the supervisor's eyes, who then takes on the demeanor of a tiger in the beginning phases of pouncing on prey, a deep breath is taken, and the supervisor very animatedly lunges by shouting, "You assumed! Don't you know what happens when you assume?!? It

makes an (*buttock*) out of you and me!!" Then the supervisor basks in the glory of having spewed out that well-worn cliché.

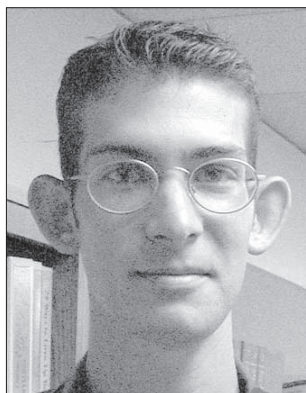
A few weeks ago I walked into a classroom and noticed on the board someone had wrote the word assume. The word was dissected in a way that I could tell someone had just been 'trained' on the proper usage of

assume. I wondered if the indoctrination included some of the possibilities causing one to assume and that assuming may be a very legitimate action to take. Some of these possibilities may be directly linked to the supervisor (and this term applies to anyone in a supervisory capacity).

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Final Answer

What is your favorite action movie?



**Staff Sgt.
Ed Esposito**
355th Aircraft
Maintenance Squadron

"My favorite action movie is 'Die Hard,' because it is full of action."



**Airman Basic
Karen Banz**
358th Fighter Squadron

"My favorite action movie is 'We Were Soldiers,' because Mel Gibson is in it and it is based on real life."



**Senior Airman
Nicholas Samaras**
612th Air Communications Squadron

"Top Gun,' my neighbors love it when I watch that movie. 'Bogey, inbound bearing; 070' at full volume will make any neighbor want to come say hello."



**Staff Sgt.
Orlando Jones**
355th Component
Maintenance Squadron

"'Spiderman.' He has been my favorite action character since I was four-years old, and I have been collecting comic books for more than 24 years."



**Airman 1st Class
Mike Gue**
79th Rescue Squadron

"'Resident Evil,' because of its new age special effects, plus it is kind of gory with lots of action."



Michelle Marinelli
355th Mission
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"I like 'Charlie's Angels' because the girls kicked butt."



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Assume

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ity regardless of rank or grade).

Consider these reasons as to why subordinates may assume:

Minimal formalization – for years now, all sorts of regulations, publications, manuals, etc., have gone through a good deal of their own ‘downsizing.’ Where specific direction was once the norm, intuition or judgment has become a real factor in carrying out actions. As such, one takes what seems to be the best path at the moment.

Supervisory precedence – watching what the supervisor has done or said in past situations can set a precedent for the subordinates to use in the future when the supervisor is absent. Based on what the supervisor did or allowed to be done may well communicate it is acceptable to do the same sort of thing.

Supervisory leadership style – if the supervisor consistently gives instructions or directions

in broad, general terms or has a tendency to make subordinates use a best guess approach, then the same thing happens as in minimal formalization. That is, the subordinates rely on intuition or judgment.

Lack of previous experience – when subordinates run into a situation not seen before they will utilize what seems to be the best course of action.

These are just a few possibilities to the assume posture taken by subordinates.

When the subordinate has assumed, most times they have done nothing to make the earth stop rotating. The decision made or action taken may not have been exactly what the supervisor would have done, but the sky did not split and cats and dogs have not started sleeping together either.

It may well be a workable solution anyway or one that can easily be modified or rectified.

The intent here is to think of the possible causes on why some would believe they took the right action in the first place. I assume you know what I mean.



Staff Sgt. Tammie Clark

New commander

(Right) Maj. Neal Robinson, 355th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron commander, observes Staff Sgt. Angel Rosa, 355th AMXS weapons load crew chief, as he inspects an A-10 flare/chaff valve. The 355th AMXS provides maintenance to A-10s, HC-130s and HH-60s. Robinson assumed command of the 355th AMXS June 17.



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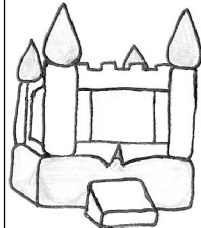
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Sonoran Spotlight

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Name: Staff Sgt. Micheal Mullins

Organization: 755th Operation Support Squadron

Duty title: Coal Warfighter Program security manager

Hometown: Buckeye Lake, Ohio

Years of service: Six years

Reason for joining the Air Force: I joined to travel and see the world.

Main responsibilities: My main responsibility is to provide security clearances.

Best aspects of job: The best aspects of my job are traveling and meeting new people.

Goals: My goal is to be accepted into officer

training school.

Hobbies/outside activities: I enjoy lifting, snow skiing, jet skiing and boating.

Favorite thing about D-M: The best thing about D-M is the mountains and the winter.

Best assignment: Ramstein, Germany, was my best assignment. It's in a central location and you can travel to different places all the time. The festivals are a lot of fun.

Inspiration: My mother, Patty Mullins, because she never lets anything get her down, always has a positive attitude and has taught me the most important thing in life is your faith in God.



Staff Sgt. Tammie Clark

Airmen graduate Airman Leadership School

Congratulations to the senior airmen and staff sergeants who graduated July 31

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25th Operational Weather Squadron: Senior Airman Kimberly Wilcox, Senior Airman Sean Reynolds; **41st Electronic Combat Squadron:** Senior Airman Julio Garcia, Senior Airman Riana Dibble; **56th Civil Engineer Squadron:** Senior Airman William Kindred; **354th Fighter Squadron:** Senior Airman Tina Stem; **355th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron:** Senior Airman Sam Ayun Jr., Senior Airman Jamila Bridges, Senior Airman Gerad Brown, Senior Airman Gregory Croucher, Senior Airman Paul Lapointe, Senior Airman Jason Muckle, Senior Airman Michael Scholze; **355th Civil Engineer Squadron:** Senior Airman James Blackburn, Senior Airman John Davis, Senior Airman Troy Dyplowski, Senior Airman Dustin Leigh Sanford, Senior Airman Deangelo Williams; **355th Communications Squadron:** Senior Airman Joel Johnson, Senior Airman James Manning, Senior Airman Frank Umpingco III, Senior Airman Karl Willis; **355th Component Maintenance Squadron:** Senior Airman Christopher Cummings, Senior Airman Adalberto Franco Jr., Senior Airman Carlos Garcia; **355th Comptroller Squadron:** Senior Airman Dana Christoffersen; **355th Equipment Maintenance Squadron:** Senior Airman Joshua Broussard, Senior Airman

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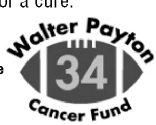
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Master Sgt. James Bowman

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The *Desert Airman* staff also seeks new, interesting photos of members of the D-M community for possible use in "The Lighter Side" for future editions of the Photo Caption Contest. Send all photos for consideration to the 355th Wing Public Affairs Office, Building 2300, Suite 2054 or through e-mail to desert.airman@dm.af.mil. The editor for "The Lighter Side" can be reached directly at 228-5714.

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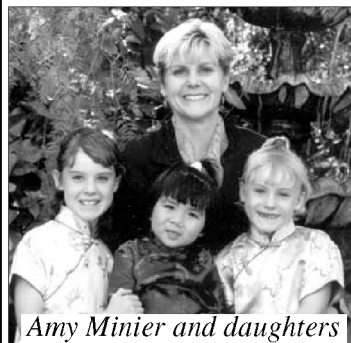
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While Bush was only on base for a short period of time, members of the Desert Lightning Community were given the opportunity to not only see him board Air Force One, but some even got to shake his hand.



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(Above) President George Bush departs Marine One on the Davis-Monthan Air Force Base flightline Monday after visiting Mount Lemmon to view the devastation left behind from recent wildfires. (Below) George Bush takes time to visit with and shake the hands of members of the Davis-Monthan. Members of Secret Service followed President Bush to survey the crowd and ensure his safety. (Bottom right) President George Bush greets distinguished guests and personnel as he exits Air Force One at D-M.



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(Above) President George Bush walks across the D-M flightline Monday, constantly escorted by a Secret Service member and his private limo. The limo accompanies the President wherever he travels. (Right) Col. Larry Stutzriem, 355th Wing commander, greets President George Bush as he exited Air Force One Monday. (Below) A view of Air Force One passing the Davis-Monthan Air Force Base Tower on its departure.



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11 to 11:45 a.m. – Water Aerobics – Medium/High Intensity – new FC
11 a.m. to noon - Pilates - \$2 - new FC
11 a.m. to noon – Step Aerobics – Haeffner Fitness and Sports Center
Noon to 1 p.m. - Spinning – Haeffner
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Tuesday

10 to 11 a.m. – Senior/Low Impact Aerobics – \$2 - new FC
11 a.m. to noon - Pilates - \$2 - new FC
11 a.m. to noon - Step Aerobics - \$2 - Haeffner
Noon to 1 p.m. – Circuit Training – Haeffner
5 to 6 p.m. - Step Aerobics -- \$2 -- new FC
6:15 to 7 p.m. – Water Aerobics – new FC
6 to 8 p.m. - Self Defense (Kyokushin) -- \$25/month - new FC

Wednesday

9 to 9:45 a.m. – Water Aerobics – High Intensity – new FC
11 to 11:45 a.m. – Water Aerobics – Medium/High Intensity – new FC
11 a.m. to noon – Step Aerobics – Haeffner
5 to 6 p.m. – Step Aerobics – Haeffner
6:15 to 7 p.m. - Water Aerobics - new FC
5 to 5:50 p.m. – Dang Soo Do (8-14 yr olds, orange belts and up) – new FC
6 to 6:50 p.m. – Dang Soo Do (8-14 yr olds, white and yellow belts) new FC
7 to 8 p.m. – Dang Soo Do (Adults) – new FC

Thursday

10 to 11 a.m. – Senior/Low Impact Aerobics – \$2 - new FC
11 a.m. to noon - Pilates - \$2 - new FC
11 a.m. to noon - Step Aerobics - \$2 - Haeffner
Noon to 1 p.m. – Circuit Training – Haeffner
5 to 5:45 p.m. - Water Aerobics - new FC
5 to 6 p.m. - Step Aerobics - \$2 - Haeffner
6 to 8 p.m. - Kyokushin – \$25/month - new FC

Friday

9 to 9:45 a.m. - Water Aerobics - High Intensity - new FC
11 to 11:45 a.m. – Water Aerobics – Medium/High Intensity - \$2 – new FC
11 a.m. to noon – Step Aerobics – Haeffner
Noon to 1 p.m. – Spinning – Haeffner
5 to 5:50 p.m. – Dang Soo Do (8 to 14 yrs, white and yellow belt) – new FC
6 to 6:50 p.m. – Dang Soo Do (8 to 14 yrs, orange belts and up) new FC
7 to 8 p.m. – Dang Soo Do (Adults) – new FC

Saturday

10 to 11 a.m. - Step Aerobics - \$2 - new FC

Sunday

9:15 to 10:15 a.m. - Hi-Low Aerobics - \$2 - new FC

Reminder: Active-duty members enrolled in the Fitness Improvement Program have priority in free aerobics classes (per AFI 34-266, para 3.4). Videos are available for check-out at the new fitness center for use in the aerobics room. For more information, call 228-0021 or 228-0022.

Sports Shorts

Teen Operation Nite hoops

Operation Night Hoops is a league of its own. This league is exclusively for teenagers and will play games on Friday nights between 7 and 11 p.m., through Sept. 19. Includes a variety of teen oriented events, games and life skills workshops for players and friends on game nights. Cost is \$30 per team. For more information, contact Armando at 228-8365.

Basic soccer clinic

A soccer clinic, which begins Saturday and continues through Aug. 22, is for first-time as well as some intermediate players. Emphasis will be on dribbling, passing, heading and conditioning. The clinic runs from 6 to 8:30 p.m. The location will be the baseball fields behind the Shoppette. This clinic is for ages 6-12, is only \$25 and includes a practice jersey.

Bowling tournament

The Triplex Trios bowling tournament starts Saturday. Format is best ball. Cost is \$30 per team. For more information, call 228-3461.

Sunset trail ride

Take a horseback trail ride in the cool and beautiful Huachuca Mountains Saturday. Departs at 3 p.m., returns at 9 p.m. Cost: \$35. Includes a two-hour ride, BBQ dinner, drinks and transportation.

Varsity basketball

Tryouts for the Davis-Monthan Men’s Varsity Basketball team begin Aug. 25, at the Haeffner Fitness and Sports Center. Tryouts begin at 7 p.m. Please bring the proper attire to practice (no shorts with pockets, no excessively baggy shorts, no jewelry). Military dependents and employees of DM, older than 18 and not in high school are welcome to tryout. For more information, call George McCauley at 228-5539 or 808-5889

Ladies golf sign-up

The D-M Ladies’ Golf Association (18-hole group) is holding its annual new season sign-up coffee at 9 a.m. Aug. 27. It will be held in the lounge of the ladies’ locker room. All those who would like to play the base golf course on Wednesday mornings with our group are invited to come have coffee and join up. Membership fees are \$35. Please note: It is an Arizona Golf Association requirement that in order to have a handicap index on the D-M Ladies’ handicap sheet, one must belong to the club. Handicap fees are \$20. The season begins with play Sept. 2, and the first official meeting will be held Oct. 7 For more information, call Tiffany

Miller at 296-6438.

Lady Niners golf

The D-M Lady Niners (9-hole group) will have a sign up for the coming year Aug. 27 at 9:30 a.m. in the Eagles Nest at the Blanchard Golf Course. They welcome beginning and experienced players. For more information, call Rita Gengler at 886-8849 or Sayre Lawrence, publicity chairman, at 748-0510.

Basketball registration

Registration for youth basketball begins in September. For more information, call Armando at 228-8365.

Bowling league seeks members

The Officers Wives Trio, a Monday morning bowling league, is looking for interested women to be part of their league this fall at D-M Lanes. Competition begins Sept. 8 at 9:15 a.m., and continues each Monday for 28 weeks. For more information, call Kathy Blohm at 749-4799.

Martial arts lessons

For a limited time, adults and children can receive one week of free Dang Soo Do Martial Arts lessons at the new fitness center. For more information, call 990-1144.

Varsity soccer tryouts

Tryouts for the men’s varsity soccer team continue each Tuesday and Wednesday at 7 p.m. through Aug. 27 at the football field behind the auto hobby shop. For more information, call Jason Bowersock at 228-9527, or 370-5736

Single? Play golf?

If you are single, 21 or older, and enjoy playing golf, the Tucson Chapter of the American Singles Golf Association invites your participation. For more information, call 798-6338, or visit them on the Web at www.tucsonsinglesgolf.com.

Football Frenzy 2003

The Desert Oasis Club is planning another exciting year of Football Frenzy fun. Club customers can expect Football Frenzy 2003 to be even more exciting than last year’s with more great food and drink specials and lots of fun and games. Club members will again be taking home prizes and giveaways plus a chance to win a trip to one of several professional league football games. Football Frenzy 2003 kicks off Sept. 8 on Monday Night Football with Tampa Bay verses Philadelphia. More Football Frenzy 2003 information will be coming soon.

Sports Shorts

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Fast Lanes

Stop by the center today to get your Fast Lanes "Scratch 'N Win" game piece. Just purchase a large fountain drink and you could be the instant winner of great prizes. Don't forget to fill out your Fast Lanes entry form attached to each game piece for a chance to win weekly prizes and a chance to win a collectible NASCAR racing hood replica or a custom framed and autographed photo of Ricky Rudd with the #21 Air Force race car. You might even win the grand prize NASCAR VIP trip to Atlanta Motor Speedway plus attendance at the Coca-Cola Racing Family Reunion and a private dinner with NASCAR drivers. Stop by D-M Lanes for your chance to win! For more information, call 228-3734.

Winter bowling leagues

Winter bowling leagues start Sept. 2-9. Signups are being accepted at D-M Lanes. The tentative schedule is as follows:
Monday – Officer's Wives Trio (9:15 a.m.); Phantom Mixed (6:30 p.m.)
Tuesday – Early Riser Ladies (9:15 a.m.); National Intramurals (5 p.m.)
Wednesday – Lady Pin Rollers (6:30 p.m.); Scratch Trios (7:30 p.m.)
Thursday – CES Trios (4 p.m.); Mixed (6:30 p.m.)
Saturday – D-M Youth Leagues (9:30 a.m.)
 Call 228-3461 for more information.

Trap, skeet range

The trap and skeet range is open Saturday from 7 to 11 a.m. (note new changes). For more information, call 228-3736.

Scoreboard

Bowling

Tuesday Night Trios
(Week 10)

Team	W-L
The Bud Kings	52-28
2 Da Bar	48-32
The Sandbaggers	45-35
Team Talking 44-36	
Wilson Express	44-36
Greased Lightning	42-38
Sally's Gone	40-40
Banged Up	38-42
Going Postal	35-45
Mo and 2 Guys	34-46
The Pin Monkeys	30-50
Maria's Odd Squad	28-52

Youth/Adult

(Week 12)

Team	W-L
The Handicaps	65-31
The Fabulous Falks	59-37
Marvin Martians	54-42
The 42s	52-44
Great Balls of Fire	49-47
Daddy's Angels	42-54
The Roller Ballz	33-63
Bowlers Anonymous	30-66

Golf

Tuesday

(Standings current as of Monday)

Team	W-L-T-Pts
12 IWF	8-0-0-74.5
CS	6-2-0-70
12 AF #1	5-1-0-62.5
MSS/WG #1	4-1-0-43.5
LRS #2	3-2-0-33
SFS	2-3-0-29.5
372 TRS Det 11	1-4-0-22
CMS	1-4-0-19.5
AMXS/358 AMU	1-4-13.5
SVS	0-0-0-0

Thursday

(Standings current as of Monday)

Team	W-L-T-Pts
MOS	7-0-0-69
612 ACOMS	5-3-0-55.5
25 OWS	4-2-1-46.5
SVS #1	4-2-1-52
MDG	3-4-0-44.5
EMS	3-5-0-39.5
LRS #1	2-4-1-36
79 AMU	2-4-1-30
75 OSS	2-5-0-33
MSS/WG #2	2-5-0-26



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Chapel Information

Services and activities offered by the D-M chapel are listed below. Location is at the Desert Dove Chapel unless otherwise noted. The Desert Dove and Hope Chapels share the parking lot at 5385 E. Ironwood. For more information on Jewish or Muslim services; Sunday School programs; Vacation Bible School; Bible studies; youth groups; and women's, men's and family ministry, call 228-5411.

Catholic Mass schedule

Saturday: Mass is at 5 p.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation is at 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: Mass is at 7:30 and 10 a.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation is at 9:15 a.m.

Daily: Mass and Communion is at 11:30 a.m. at Hope Chapel. Rosary begins at 11:10 a.m.

Protestant Services schedule

Sunday: Contemporary Service is at 8:30 a.m. and Gospel Service is at 11:15 a.m. at Hope Chapel. Traditional Service is at 11:15 a.m.

Financial Peace University

FPU is a 13-week program on personal finance designed to empower people to manage their money better, eliminate debt and build wealth. All material is Biblically based and taught via video by radio host Dave Ramsey. Topics include: saving, budgeting, investing, insurance, real estate, dumping debt, retirement and college planning, giving and more. Come to the base chapel for a free video presentation Tuesday or Wednesday at 7 p.m. to learn more, or call Capt. Scott O'Hare at 228-8507.

Education Services

Education quarterly newsletter

The second quarterly edition of the base training and education services Education Newsletter is out and has been sent to all commanders and first sergeants by e-mail. The newsletter covers current issues, pertinent information, college programs and other educational information to keep D-M personnel informed about their educational opportunities. For an e-mail copy, call Michelle Marinelli at 228-4249 or Rafael Maldonado at 228-3484.

Montgomery GI Bill

The MGIB Transfer of Benefits Test Program ends Sept. 30. All qualified individuals desiring to participate in the test must reenlist (enlisted) or agree to an active-duty service commitment (officers) and complete a DD Form 2366-2 by this date. Sometime in fiscal 2004 the Air Force will conduct a survey to determine the test's viability and potential for permanent implementation. Point of contact is Phil King at 228-3812.

Tuition Assistance

As per Air Combat Command Headquarters education instructions, TA for October 2003 classes cannot be issued prior to Sept. 15.

Point of contact is Phil King at 228-3812.

Air Command and Staff College

The ACSC Seminar started Aug. 4. ACSC Seminar Team Leader is Maj. Michael Ryan, pager 793-6107. The Seminar meets Mondays at 5:30 p.m. in the conference room of Building 5420. ACSC must approve late enrollment in the seminar. Point of Contact is Michelle Marinelli at 228-4249.

Family Support Center

Transition Assistance Program

There is a TAP Seminar Wednesday to Aug. 22, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Building 3200, Room 266. This seminar focuses on preparing departing service members to conduct an effective job search in the civilian marketplace. Individuals are eligible to attend two years prior to their retirement or within a year from separation. For reservations, call 228-5690.

Personnel Deployment Function, Jr.

The PDF, Jr. is Aug. 23 from 9 a.m. to noon and offers children and spouses of active duty members the opportunity to process through a deployment line to give them a better understanding of deployments. The "line" will feature mobility folders, a chemical gear try-on station, a crime dog demonstration and more. To sign up by Tuesday, call Jackie Abell at 228-5690.

Veteran's Affairs Claims Brief

A Veteran's Affairs representative provides group appointments concerning veterans and disability benefits Aug. 25 at 10 a.m. and noon in Building 3200, Room 266. To sign up, call 228-5690.

Right Start Base Orientation

Right Start Base Orientation is designed to welcome all newcomers to Davis-Monthan Air Force Base and the Tucson area. Leadership and base agencies discuss a variety of programs and services available. The next orientation is Aug. 26 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the officer's club. Free childcare is available. For more information, call 228-5690.

Happenings

Enlisted Spouses Association

The ESA has their next monthly meeting Tuesday at the Enlisted Club in Monte's Room. The business portion of the meeting will begin at 6:15 p.m. and will be followed immediately by a social. The theme this month is Back to School. Any questions can be directed to Dena Wakefield at 747-3461.

Attention officers' spouses

All officers' spouses are invited to a free 1950s ice cream social and information fair

Aug. 21 at 10 a.m. at the Mirage Officers Club. Come see what the Officers' Spouses Club, our base and Tucson have to offer. For more information, or to make a reservation, call Marla by noon Monday at 751-9155.

Safety Day Car and Bike Show

The second annual Safety Day Car and Bike Show is Aug. 28 from noon to 4 p.m. at Heritage Park. Open to all, the cost is \$2.50 per entry with proceeds going to benefit Mother's Against Drunk Driving. Categories include compact, classic, sport and cruiser motorcycles, truck/sports utility vehicle. For more information on entering or rewards, call Wing Safety at 228-5630 or 228-5171.

Volunteers needed

The medical group has a continuing need for volunteers in several rewarding positions where individuals can put their time and talents to good use. Those who are interested who can commit to a minimum schedule of four hours a week, should contact the medical group volunteer coordinator at 228-2914.

Movies

Movies begin at 7 p.m. unless otherwise noted. Admission is \$3 for adults and \$1.50 for children under 12 and senior citizens. Admission is for ID card holders and their guests only. For the theater movie recording, call 228-5694.

Friday and Sunday: Charlie's Angels: Full Throttle (PG-13)

Charlie's Angels: Full Throttle is a sequel to the blockbuster hit released by Columbia Pictures and inspired by the popular television series. The sequel reunites Cameron Diaz, Drew Barrymore and Lucy Liu as the indomitable crime-fighting heriones. In the Angels' new adventure, the captivating trio once again demonstrate their expertise at espionage, martial arts and disguise as they fight to ensure justice. *1 hour, 51 minutes*



Saturday: 28 Days Later (R)

A virus that locks those infected into a permanent state of killing rage, is accidentally released from a British research facility. Carried by animals and humans, the virus is impossible to contain, and spreads across the entire planet. Twenty-eight days later, a small group of survivors are caught in a desperate struggle to protect themselves from the infected. As they attempt to salvage a future, they find that their most deadly enemy is not the virus, but other survivors. *1 hour, 48 minutes*



Services Happenings

Auto skills overnighter

The auto skills center will open at 9 a.m. today and will remain open until 9 p.m. Saturday. Patrons can work on their vehicles overnight. Refreshments will be available from 5 p.m. today until 9 a.m. Saturday. The center will be closed Sunday and Monday. For more information, call 228-3614.

Labor Day barbecue

The Desert Oasis Enlisted Club hosts a Labor Day barbecue at 7 p.m. Aug. 31. Menu includes barbecue chicken, potato salad, baked beans and rolls. The bar will be open from 7 p.m. to 1 a.m. with a variety music disc jockey from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Tickets are on sale now at the cashier counter for \$3 (members) and \$6 (non-members). Tickets at the door will be \$6 and \$9 respectively. For more information, call 228-3301.

Graphics Design and Awards Shop

The arts and crafts center's Graphics Design and Awards Shop has a variety of custom designed plaques and awards. The shop can design small and large plaques and perpetual plaques. They can also do laser etching and sandblasting on many different items including metal, glass mugs, wine glasses, decanters and much more. Custom brochures and promotional packages are also available as well as business cards and other custom designed pieces. The shop does wedding invitations and graduation announcements too. For more information, call 228-4385.

Preteen/Teen Goals for Growth

The youth center hosts Goals for Growth Tuesday through Aug. 26. Preteens and teens will learn how to set and achieve goals, help identify their own strength and enhance their self-esteem. Program starts at 7 p.m.

Teen girls only makeover night

The teen girls makeover is Aug. 22 where girls will be taught cosmetic representative on the proper techniques of taking care of

their face and how to properly apply make-up. The event is at the youth center from 6 to 7:30 p.m. For more information, call 228-8844.

Pima County Teen Court

This program allows teens to act as jurors on a trial for teens that have been convicted of a minor crime like shoplifting, possession of alcohol or tobacco, and more. Teens will leave the youth center at 7:45 a.m. and will return at 1 p.m. Permission slips are required. For more information, call 228-8844.

Congressional Awards Program

The CAP is about challenge. This program is open to all 14 to 23 year olds. Participants earn Bronze, Silver, and Gold Congressional Certificates and medals. Each level involves setting goals in four program areas: volunteer public service, personal development, physical fitness and expedition/exploration. Each level requires a minimum of hours and is carried over to the next level. For more information, call 228-8844.

Get With The Program

The Davis-Monthan Air Force Base Family Child Care Center wants you to Get With The Program and become a child care professional. You'll get to operate your own home-based business with minimal cost to you. You can set your own hours, be with your own children and care for other children at home with a flexible schedule. You may care for children on an hourly, part-day, full-day or extended basis. The Air Force FCC Program ensures you receive all necessary training, free of charge. For more information, call 228-2201.

Fifth Street Balloon Shop

The Fifth Street Balloon Shop located in the Community Center, has a wide selection of balloon bouquets available for all occasions. Customers can choose from a variety of custom made bouquets. The shop can even deliver your special bouquet with a 24 hour notice and a delivery fee. Deliveries can be made on base, Mondays through Fridays from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information call 228-3500 or stop by today.

Services Activities

Arts and Crafts Center	228-4385
<i>Tues., Wed. and Fri. 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Thurs. 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Sat. noon to 4 p.m.</i>	
Auto Skills Center	228-3614
<i>Tues. - Fri. 9:30 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Sat. 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Sun. noon to 5 p.m.</i>	
Blanchard Golf Course	228-3734
<i>Daily, sunrise to sunset</i>	
Bowling Center	228-3461
<i>Mon. - Thurs. 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Fri. 8 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.; Sat. noon to 11:30 p.m.</i>	
Cabana Pizza	747-3234
<i>Mon. 10:30 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Tues. - Thurs. 10:30 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Fri. 10:30 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Sat. 1 to 10 p.m.; Sun. 1 to 8 p.m.</i>	
Child Development Center	228-3336
<i>Mon. - Fri. 6:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.</i>	
Community Center	228-3717
<i>Mon. - Fri. 7 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Sat. 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Sun. 10 a.m. 6 p.m.</i>	
Desert Oasis Enlisted Club	228-3100
<i>Call for other hours and activities.</i>	
Eagles Nest Restaurant	228-7066
<i>Located at the Golf Course; Daily, 5:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.</i>	
Enlisted Club Barber Shop	748-8710
Family Child Care	228-2201
<i>Mon. - Fri. 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.</i>	
Fitness and Sports Center	228-0022
<i>Mon. - Fri. 5 a.m. to 11 p.m.; Sat. 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Sun. 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.</i>	
Haeffner Fitness Center	228-3714
<i>Mon. - Fri. 5:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. Closed weekends, holidays and UTE days.</i>	
Information, Tickets & Travel	228-3700
<i>Mon. - Fri. 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 1:30 to 5 p.m.; Sat. 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.</i>	
Library	228-4381
<i>Mon. - Thurs. 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Fri. 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Sat. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.</i>	
Lodging Reservations	748-1500
Mirage Officers Club	228-3301
<i>Call for other hours and activities</i>	
Officers Club Barber Shop	748-8968
<i>Mon. - Fri. 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.</i>	
Outdoor Recreation and Equipment Rental	228-3736
<i>Mon. - Tues. and Thurs. - Fri. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Wed. noon to 5 p.m.; Sat. 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.</i>	
Stormy's Cyber Cafe	228-3717
<i>Mon. - Fri. 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.</i>	
Veterinarian	228-3529
<i>Subject to change; Mon. - Fri. 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.</i>	
Youth Center	228-8844
<i>Tues. - Thurs. 5:30 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Fri. 5:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m.; Sat. noon to 8 p.m.</i>	

What's happening at the D-M clubs

Club Fun on Fridays

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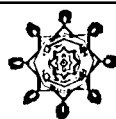
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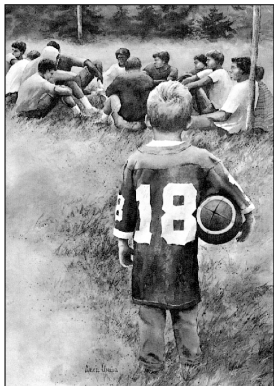


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Barnes is the mother of two and stepmother of four children and has been a Common Sense Parenting trainer for 13 years.

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 - ☐ SERVICES
 - ☐ EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES
 - ☐ PETS
 - ☐ CARS & TRUCKS
 - ☐ FURNITURE & APPLIANCES
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